

THE HUN'S BIGGEST GUN



German Propaganda Like a  
Knife Thrust in the Back

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(Written for the War Committee of the Union League Club of Chicago.)

Smash that damnable Hun propaganda and we will smash the German line—General Pershing.

General Pershing has seen conditions at home and he has faced the German troops in France. He knows that Germany has a powerful war machine, but he is not afraid of it. He knows that American soldiers are the match for the troops of the Kaiser, and that American spirit "over there" is as staunch as man's heart can be.

What General Pershing is afraid of—if he fears fight at all—is not the high explosive shell, the poison gas, the minemwerfer or the machine gun, but the secret, treacherous, underhanded German propaganda that is still going on here in the United States.

Secret Propaganda Goes On.

It is certain that the secret German propaganda goes on. It reaches into the homes and wrings the heartstrings of the mothers whose sons are going overseas. It sneaks into the factories where war work is being done and whispers to the workers to slow up. It penetrates into the meeting halls of labor unions and says "strike." On the railroads, where hundreds of thousands of workers are struggling with the greatest congestion this country has ever known, the German propaganda spreads discontent. To the farmer it says "hoard" and to the city consumer it whispers of extortion and profiteering. To the man of business it prates of government incompetency and inefficiency; and to the dolt, the wanderer, the tramp—if you please—it preaches class hatred and revolt.

Loves the Pacifist Here.

Germany, the nation which glorifies war above all else, loves the pacifist in this country. Peace is the favorite topic of conversation among the pro-Germans. They would quit cold, would compromise, would do anything, in short, except fight out this war to a finish and crush forever that menace of militarism which, above all things, the pacifist is supposed to abhor.

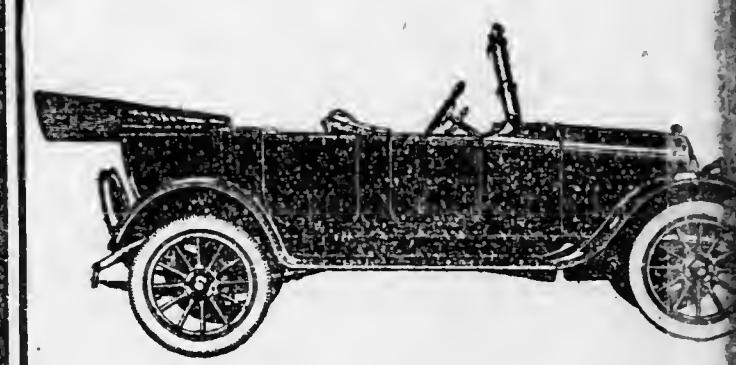
Creating friction and jealousy among the nations allied against the Kaiser is one of the propagandists' most effective methods. They are active rhetors of that group of Americans of Irish extraction who are bitter against England. They work effectively among the half-educated who, by superficial reading of United States history, have been accustomed to regard England as America's traditional enemy.

They create distrust and suspicion of Japan, and both here and in the Orient have so sown the seeds of suspicion that at times it seemed as though a conflict must inevitably ensue. Down in Mexico bandits like Villa get money and supplies from mysterious sources, making necessary the holding of a considerable American force on the border.

How far-reaching and well organized the German propaganda was in this country just before we entered the war was shown in 1915 when members of congress were flooded with nearly a million telegrams, all of identical wording, protesting against the shipment of arms to the enemies of Germany. The American Embargo Conference was the organization behind these messages. It sprang up almost in a night and a million telegrams cost a lot of money.

The American Truth Society was another of the organizations which seemed to have plenty of funds and sought to influence members of congress in favor of prohibiting the shipment of arms and ammunition. Then there was the German-American Na-

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5-Pass. Car . . . . . \$ 825  
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All prices f. o. b. Detroit  
With special equipment  
With Sedan and Town Car

### Official Figures of the Test

	Daily Miles	Avg. Miles Per Gal. Gasoline
Nov. 23	511.9	22.2
24	534.4	22.0
" 25	537.4	21.49
" 26	505.9	22.47
" 27	516.5	21.70
" 28	506.6	23.02
" 29	515.5	26.40
" 30	488.1	23.00
" 31	498.8	23.99
" 1	484.6	23.97
" 2	506.6	21.73
" 3	506.6	19.31
" 4	502.7	19.44
" 5	517.0	22.15
" 6	512.0	20.35
" 7	493.3	22.03
" 8	472.6	21.33
" 9	472.6	21.35
" 10	472.6	23.82
" 11	495.2	23.82
" 12	540.1	23.56
" 13	531.8	23.18
" 14	465.9	23.85
" 15	523.1	22.95
" 16	512.0	19.39
" 17	492.8	22.09
" 18	512.0	21.72
" 19	527.5	23.38
" 20	527.5	23.44
" 21	496.8	24.50
" 22	496.8	22.00
" 23	487.1	23.13
" 24	480.5	21.75
" 25	477.3	22.83
" 26	477.3	20.30
" 27	487.1	19.79
" 28	477.4	18.91
" 29	512.0	20.20
" 30	466.9	20.24
" 31	504.9	21.08
Jan. 1	504.9	19.32
" 2	Rain 451.8	20.07
" 3	Rain 479.1	21.56
" 4	Rain 455.6	19.82
" 5	Rain 392.9	19.10

Elapsed time . . . . . 44 days  
Total mileage . . . . . 22,022.3  
Average speed per hour . . . . . 25 miles  
Average day's run . . . . . 500 miles  
Average night's run . . . . . 592.5  
Average miles per gal. . . . . 22 miles  
Smallest day's mileage . . . . . 18.91 miles  
Greatest average miles per gallon . . . . . 28.33 miles  
Average life . . . . . 9,875 miles  
\*Note that longest day's run was made on last day of the test.



### GREEN-FORD AUTO CO.

Agents Greenville, Ky.

You know, of course, that the Maxwell Motor Car is the long distance champion of the world.

You have read that a "stock" Maxwell 5-passenger car ran for 44 days and nights without stopping the motor.

And that, in the 44 days non-stop test, the Maxwell covered 22,022 miles, at an average speed of 25 miles per hour.

But have you, up to now, realized the full significance of that performance?

Do you know that no other motor car in the world has ever equalled or even approached that performance?

In a word, did you take this test seriously when you heard of it?

Or did you set it down as a "selling stunt" to give the publicity man something to talk about?

It's worth your while to read and to study the conditions under which that test was made.

You know that the American Automobile Association (familiarly known as the "A. A. A.") is the official arbiter of every automobile test and contest.

But perhaps you didn't know that when a maker places his product under A. A. A. supervision he must do absolutely as told and abide by the decisions of the Board. That's why there are so few A. A. A. Official Records!

This 22,000-mile Maxwell non-stop test was official from start to finish.

Therein lies its value to you.

It proves absolutely the quality of the car—of the very Maxwell you buy.

For verify this was a "stock" Maxwell. Listen—

First: the inspectors disassembled the motor to see that no special pistons, valves, bearing-metal or other parts had been used.

Every other unit was as critically inspected. Then the car was re-assembled under their own supervision.

As we had much at stake and the test was made in winter (November 23 to January 5) we asked permission to take certain little precautions against accidental stoppage.

Sounds reasonable, doesn't it?

But they refused permission to do any such thing.

For example:—They would not permit a rubber cover over the magneto—it wasn't "stock."

They refused to let us tape the ignition wire terminals—they are not taped on the Maxwells we sell—so of course it wasn't "stock."

Neither would they let us use a spiral coiled pipe in place of the usual straight one from tank to carburetor to guard against a breakage from the constant, unremitting vibration—it isn't "stock."

Nor to use a special high priced foreign make of spark plug—the run was made on the same spark plugs with which all Maxwells are equipped.

So rigid were the rules, we were unable to carry a spare tire on the rear—it wasn't "stock." A telegram to headquarters in New York finally brought a special permit to carry a spare tire.

"It isn't stock!" "It isn't stock!"

That was the laconic reply of those A. A. A. inspectors to every last suggestion that called for anything but the precise condition of the standard, stock model Maxwell that any customer can buy from any one of 3000 dealers anywhere.

We are glad now—mighty glad—that the rules were so strict and so rigidly enforced.

Any other car that ever attempts to equal that record must do it under official supervision—and comply with the same terms.

And it will have to go some.

For Maxwell set the standard when it performed this wonderful feat.

Maxwell complied with those rules—and made good.

Every drop of gasoline and oil and water was measured out and poured in by the inspectors themselves. They would not even let our man pour it in!

Every four hours the car had to report at the official station for checking.

And it had to be there on the minute.

And every minute there was an inspector beside the driver on the front seat—two more men in the rear. One got out only to let another in—day and night for 44 days and nights!

There was one technical stop.

It is interesting to know the circumstances.

Dead of night—a driving storm—a cloudburst—suddenly another car appeared in the road ahead.

In his effort to avoid a collision the Maxwell driver stalled his motor.

At least the observers thought it stopped and so reported.

The car did not stop, however, so its momentum again started the motor (if it had indeed stalled) when the clutch was let in.

The contest board exonerated our driver on grounds that his action was necessary to save life.

That shows you how rigid were the rules—how conscientiously applied by the observers.

You who have owned and driven motor cars—you who know how small a thing may clog a carburetor or a feed pipe; "short" a spark or stall a motor—will realize what a wonderfully well made car this must be to go through that test under those conditions—44 days—22,022 miles without stopping.

The exact amount of gasoline, of oil, of water used; the tire mileage, tire troubles, tire changes; the distance and the routes are matters of official record, attested under oath and guaranteed by the A. A. A.

(By the way, the average was nearly 10,000 miles per tire.)

Any Maxwell owner—or anyone interested may see those records.

And—here's the most wonderful part—though no attempt was or could be made for economy; the Maxwell averaged 22 miles per gallon of gasoline.

Some other car may, some time, equal some one of those performances. But to equal them all in the same test—that car must be a Maxwell.

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This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war.

For Congress.  
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of Warren County, a candidate for Congress  
from the Third Congressional district, subject  
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## The Federal Explosive Law.

The Federal Explosives Act prohibits the manufacture, sale, purchase and possession of all explosives and their ingredients, in time of war, without a license. In other words, the dealer must keep an itemized record showing the name and address of purchaser, his license number, kind and quantity of explosives purchased, and purpose for which it is to be used. This also compels practically every drug store in the United States to have a license permitting them to have in possession and sell explosives ingredients, and the buyer must have a license when purchasing these ingredients in quantities of an ounce or more, and the dealer must keep the same record as the party who sells dynamite. These ingredients are: Bichromates, Chlorates, Chromates, Nitrate, Nitric Acid, Perchlorates, Perborates, Perinanganates, Peroxides and Phosphorus, in their various forms.

This law will be rigidly enforced in the future; it having been in effect since November 15, 1917, and every dealer has had time to familiarize himself with the law and all its details, and no excuse will be accepted in the future. Violation of this Act carries a penalty of \$5,000 fine or imprisonment in a Federal prison, or both. A careful and systematic check is being made, by Federal Authorities, of every dealer in the States who handles explosives or ingredients, regardless of location or size. An inspector or some deputy may drop in any day, and dealers should not allow themselves to be caught unprepared.

There is a United States Explosives Licensing Officer in every County, and such dealers as have not already procured their license should take immediate steps to do so.

This is considered one of the most important war measures enacted by our Congress, and dealers can not be too careful in making sales of explosives or their ingredients.

More Victrolas are in use of the public schools of America than all other machines combined. Two years ago there were 6,200 schools using Victrolas, and a careful census, just completed, shows that more than 25,000 schools use this one machine. This is a quadrupling in two years, and shows how the influence of music is growing, and also how the superiority of the Victrola is appreciated. See and hear why at Roark's.

You can get any other machine you want, at any time, but you will keep the Victrola forever, when you get it. Better wait for the one you want, and which so many people all over the world want, that deliveries are behind the demand. Roark expects liberal shipments soon, or orders placed many months ago.

Small rooms can be papered at half, from Roark's remnants.

We're here to help you get the best results and the most satisfaction from your talking machine, no matter what make, and our eight years' experience is freely at your command, and should be of benefit to you. The J. L. Roark Estate.

Many new records can now be found at Roark's, in Victor shipments of the week.

## Sharp Practices Cannot Endure.

For eight years we have been distributing Victrolas in Muhlenberg, and our faith in them is much stronger now than when we secured the agency, for the decision reached then, after an exhaustive study of all machines on the market, led us to the Victrola, and its performance has given most complete satisfaction to every purchaser, so much so that from first to last machines sold by us are in the hands of the original purifiers. The field is enlarging rapidly, and in time practically every home will have some sort of machine.

It is to our interest, and to the general interest of every buyer, that most thorough investigation be made in the selection of this item. We have at all times a representative stock of instruments and records, and gladly give public demonstrations. Records of all machines will be played, and the most thorough investigation and comparison of both machines and records should be made by you, and are invited by us. No sharp practices have ever been used by us in making a sale, and we will not resort to trickery, "double-dealing" or records in the making of demonstrations, and other hoodwinking acts and statements followed by some dealers.

Roark is in better position to give you Victrola and record service than many dealers in cities of 10,000 inhabitants. Orders are placed many months ahead, and Roark is larger here than can be found elsewhere, in Victor goods, which have always been hard to get, on account of the world wide demand, and more difficult to get now than ever before.

## Booze Blockade Runners Hit Shoals.

People who are living under the bone-dry law, and attempting to nullify the new law by bringing whisky into such prohibited spots are running into large bunches of trouble. Local officers everywhere are on the alert, and hundreds of men have been caught and fined, and the prison section is being pretty generally enforced, too. Auto transfer is a popular way to bring in the contraband goods, but it is not likely it will continue so, for this mode of transportation is getting extra eyes from policemen, and their success is discouraging the movement. Several men from Muhlenberg have been caught and fined.

There is not a talking machine made which will not play Victor records, and Roark has a great supply.

Large stock of records at Roark's Small prices.

Get your order placed with Roark for Victrolas, as for months there has been a waiting list, on account of the world-wide strong demand for this instrument. While large stocks of machines are always on hand, it has been many a moon since all type instruments have been here at one time.

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Convict Gang at Work.

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## WIDE TIRES IMPROVE ROADS

They Have Same Effect on Country Highway as Roller on Field—Also Pull Easier.

Wide tires build up roads and save horse labor. They have the same effect upon a country road as a roller on a plowed field. On the other hand, the narrow tire cuts up a road like a disk. It has been found by actual test in this matter that the wide-tired wagon pulls easier in nearly all cases than the narrow-tired wagon. In deep mud on a country road the wide-tired wagon pulls 6.2 per cent easier. On the country road with a thin surface of mud and deep dust, however, the narrow tires pull 4.0 per cent easier. In a cornfield the wide tires pull 30.5 per cent easier, in a dry alfalfa field 17.7 per cent easier, and on a dry country road 10.4 per cent easier.

Ontario Makes Good Roads.

The Province of Ontario has approximately 55,000 miles of roads. More than 43,000 miles have been treated and are in fairly good condition. About 20,000 miles are well graded earth roads; about 8,000 miles are surfaced with broken stone, and about 19,000 are surfaced with gravel.

All Roads Lead Home.

All roads lead to home. You are not at fault if they are not all good roads, but you are to blame if it's not a good home.

Roark is in better position to give you Victrolas and record service than many dealers in cities of 10,000 inhabitants. Orders are placed many months ahead, and stock is larger here than can be found elsewhere, in Victor goods, which have always been hard to get, on account of the world wide demand, and more difficult to get now than ever before.

## The Federal Explosive Law.

The Federal Explosives Act prohibits the manufacture, sale, purchase and possession of all explosives and their ingredients, in time of war, without a license. In other words, the dealer must keep an itemized record showing the name and address of purchaser, his license number, kind and quantity of explosives purchased, and purpose for which it is to be used. This also compels practically every drug store in the United States to have a license permitting them to have in possession and sell explosives ingredients, and the buyer must have a license when purchasing these ingredients in quantities of one or more, and the dealer must keep the same record as the party who sells dynamite. These ingredients are: Bichromates, Chlorates, Chromates, Nitrates, Nitric Acid, Perchlorates, Perborates, Permanganates, Peroxides and Phosphorus, in their various forms.

This law will be rigidly enforced in the future; it having been in effect since November 15, 1917, and every dealer has had time to familiarize himself with the law and all its details, and no excuse will be accepted in the future. Violation of this Act carries a penalty of \$5,000 fine or imprisonment in Federal prison, or both. A careful and systematic check is being made, by Federal Authorities, of every dealer in the State who handles explosives or ingredients, regardless of location or size. An inspector or some deputy may drop in any day, and dealers should not allow themselves to be caught unprepared.

There is a United States Explosives Licensing Officer in every County, and such dealers as have not already procured their license should take immediate steps to do so.

This is considered one of the most important war measures enacted by our Congress, and dealers can not be too careful in making sales of explosives or their ingredients.

More Victrolas are in use of the public schools of America than all other machines combined. Two years ago there were 6,200 schools using Victrolas, and a careful census, just completed, shows that more than 25,000 schools use this one machine. This is a quadrupling in two years, and shows how the influence of music is growing, and also how the superiority of the Victrola is appreciated. See and hear why at Roark's.

You can get any other machine you want, at any time, but you will keep the Victrola forever, when you get it. Better wait for the one you want, and which so many people all over the world want, that deliveries are behind the demand. Roark expects liberal shipments soon, or orders placed many months ago.

Small rooms can be papered at half, from Roark's remnants.

We're here to help you get the best results and the most satisfaction from your talking machine, no matter what make, and our eight years' experience is freely at your command, and should be of benefit to you. The J. L. Roark Estate.

Many new records can now be found at Roark's, in Victor shipments of the week.

Sharp Practices Cannot Endure.

For eight years we have been distributing Victrolas in Muhlenberg, and our faith in them is much stronger now than when we secured the agency. For the decision reached then, after an exhaustive study of all machines on the market, led us to the Victrola, and its performance has given most complete satisfaction to every purchaser, so much so that from first to last machines sold by us are in the hands of the original purchasers. The field is enlarging rapidly, and in time practically every home will have some sort of machine. It is to our interest, and to the mutual interest of every buyer, that most thorough investigation be made in the selection of this item. We have at all times a representative stock of instruments and records, and gladly give public demonstrations.

Records of all machines will be played, and the most thorough investigation and comparison of both machines and records should be made by you, and are invited by us. No sharp practices have ever been used by us in making a sale, we will not resort to trickery, double-dealing or records in the making of demonstrations, and other hoodwinking acts and statements followed by some dealers.

Everybody gets a square deal from us, before and after a sale, and we refer to our large family of Victrola users, our best incentive and greatest asset in the continual enlargement of this branch of our establishment.

Very truly yours,

J. L. ROARK ESTATE,  
Orien L. Roark, Manager.

## Booze Blockade Runners Hit Shoals.

People who are trying under the bone-dry law, and attempt to nullify the new law by bringing whisky into such prohibited spots are running into large bunches of trouble. Local officers everywhere are on the alert, and hundreds of men have been caught and fined, and the prosecution is being pretty generally enforced, too. Auto transfer is a popular way to bring in the contraband goods, but it is not likely it will continue so, for this mode of transportation is getting extra eyes from policemen, and their success is discouraging the movement. Several men from Muhlenberg have been caught and fined.

There is not a talking machine made which will not play Victor records, and Roark has a great supply.

Large stock of records at Roark's Small prices.

Get your order placed with Roark for a Victrola, as for months there has been a waiting list, on account of the world-wide strong demand for this instrument. While large stocks of machines are always on hand, it has been many a moon since all type instruments have been here at one time.

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It has all the exclusive, patent-protected features of the larger members of the Victrola family, and is worthy of a place in any home. Get yours now, and be ready for summer joys at home or wherever you go.

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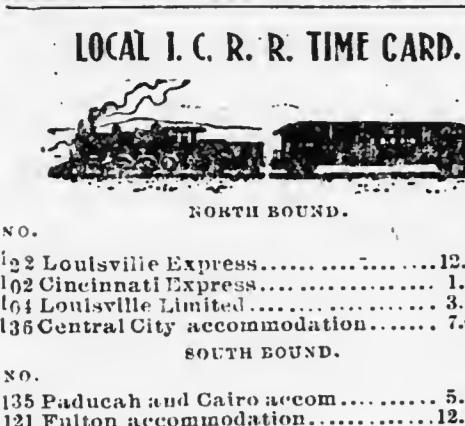
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## Local Mention.

Enters August.

The White is King.

Rural schools start Monday.

Rubber fly swatters at Roark's.

Hear the August Victor records at Roark's.

Mr. D. J. Duncan was here from Bowling Green a few days during the week.

Use a Cleanrite brush on your Victrola, getting better results and protecting your records.

Mr. Mc. Ferguson, of South Carrollton, was among the court visitors here Monday.

Several one-room patterns of wall paper at Roark's are offered at cut prices.

Make your arrangements to attend the County War Conference here on Friday, August 9, all day.

Wheeler & Wilson sewing Machine No. 9, in good working order, for sale. Apply at this office.

Work and vote for the new road tax, at special election to be held on Saturday, Aug. 24.

A hair mattress lasts a lifetime, and gives greatest service. Get one from Roark.

Dog license tags are now ready, and the new ordinance will be put in full force at once.

Two stalls, in a stable, for rent by day or month. Apply to Mrs. L. G. Bohannon.

Cantaloupes are now plentiful and fine, and are selling at 5 cents each, with a strong demand.

The largest stock of talking machine records to be found in this part of Kentucky can be found at Roark's.

Mr. Hugh Lewis was here from Camp Lewis last Sunday, visiting his parents and mingling with his many friends.

Standard in price and quality, the Victrola stands on a pinnacle. Have fullest demonstrations and comparisons at Roark's.

Mrs. Herman Young, of Louisville, is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. L. Yonts.

The Victrola, with many exclusive features, is supreme. A demonstration convinces. Roark will be glad to meet any test.

Mr. S. D. Bradley was here from Louisville the latter part of the week, mingling with friends and customers.

Buy the best value in America piano, the Lyon & Healy, from Roark, county distributor.

Rains have been very general throughout this section during the week, and have done a vast amount of good.

Get satisfaction—buy a Victrola, for it constantly delivers the best instrumental and vocal music of the world, without expense and worry.

Hon. R. V. Thomas, Jr., who is spending some time in this Congressional district, was mingling with his friends here the latter part of last week.

Careful planning, many months ahead, enables Roark to be in position to supply your Victrola and record wants much better than dealers in many large cities can do for you.

Some people are getting so much profit of various kinds out of their war gardens that they are thinking of having themselves arrested for shameless profiteering.

## Muhlenberg War Conference Here August 9.

County War Conferences are being held all over the United States, to bring to the people of every section, however remote, the true conditions of this country in relation to the world war, and just what our people need and must do to help win it. Muhlenberg will observe this day on Friday, August 9, in an all-day meeting here, and it is expected that many thousand of our people will attend. A special program is arranged, with prominent local and visiting speakers, among the latter being a soldier who has been on the French line, and has been sent home on account of injuries. There will be no admission fee, and no appeals will be made for funds of any kind, but all who attend will be roused to heights of patriotism not hitherto attained.

See the "Restgood" line of hair mattresses and pillows at Roark's.

Mr. W. H. Reynolds is home for a few days, after a tour of western Kentucky.

Hear the August Victor records and hundreds of others at Roark's.

The dog catcher is now on the path, for tags are here, and owners who want to keep their dogs will save extra expense by licensing them at once.

Roark maintains two demonstration rooms, for display of Victrolas and demonstration of records. Drop in any time, whether you wish to purchase or not.

Golden Star furniture polish, best made, at Roark's.

Only thing that hasn't advanced in price—a large purchase keeps the rubber fly swatter at Roark's.

Trade with Roark, who teaches your dollars to have more cents.

Everybody can vote on the new road tax, but only property owners will have any tax to pay, and that will be only 20 cents on the \$100.

The Victor tung-tone supplies your need in needles. See Roark.

It was a fine crowd here to court Monday, and business was brisk, in all lines, but the threatening weather drove the people home soon after noon.

Snaps in high grade wallpaper at Roark's.

The tax under the new law for road purposes will be only about \$2 per year, average, for farm owners, and the benefits will be many fold that sum.

No matter what sort of talking machine you have, you can exchange it for a Victrola, and Roark will give you fullest allowance.

See the strong line of Victrolas on Roark's floor.

Found—Eyglasses, rimless, riding bow, in leather case. Owner can secure same by proving property and paying for notice. Apply this office.

The prosperity of the county depends as much on good roads as any other one feature, and a rousing majority should be given for it at the special election Saturday, Aug. 24.

Worm gears, with ball-bearing points, the Victrola motor surpasses the bevel-gear motors in other machines to same degree it does in every other feature.

Needles and all sorts of sewing machine supplies at Roark's.

Slackers are having a harder time than ever getting by, as practically everybody is now strong for this country, and that every man shall do his part.

Nothing half so good—get a rubber fly swatter from Roark.

The ground contained more moisture from Friday night rains than it has in many months. The accompanying wind did some damage by blowing corn down, but this was small compared to the great benefit received.

Silent, swift, simple, strong, the White is the greatest sewing machine on the market. Full line on the floor at Roark's, and you are asked to see them.

## 25,000 Women Wanted to Enroll in the U. S. Student Nurse Reserve.

The Kentucky Division, Women's Committee, Council of National Defense, has been asked to recruit 750 young women of sound physical and mental qualifications, for nurses training to release American graduates for service in the military hospitals overseas. It is officially stated by the Federal authorities in Washington that 25,000 such students are needed now, to form a "United States Student Nurse Reserve."

The chairman of the National Womans' Committee states the need as follows:

"What is needed is the enrollment of 25,000 physically fit young women between the ages of 19 and 35, having full high school training wherever possible, and preferably college training. Enrollment in the Student Nurse Reserve means that the candidate will hold herself ready until April 1, 1919 to take training when she is offered an assignment in a training school, unless she has in the meantime entered other government war service."

Every woman who completes the training course satisfactorily may be eligible for enrollment as a Red Cross nurse and stands a chance of being assigned to duty abroad. At the same time she will be qualified to earn her living in one of the noblest professions open to women.

The work of the nurse is a national service for women which seems more nearly the equivalent of the Army and Navy service for men than any other. She stands side by side with the fighting force in the first line of defense and out of the fearful waste and havoc of war she saves numberless precious lives, besides helping to protect our men from the scourge of disease, which is often more deadly than bullets. She also relieves the suffering and boosts the courage and spirit of wounded and battered men.

The important thing to remember is that as a student recruit in the hospital training school you are actually rendering a vital service to your country from the moment you enter, for you become at once a member of the national life-saving corps and each day you are steadily advancing to more and more responsible and varied duties and steadily preparing to replace a graduate nurse on the firing line. The opportunities for service to your country and of benefit to your future welfare are too numerous to even mention in this article, but if you are interested you can secure leaflets which give detailed information on this subject or you can enlist with Miss Jessie Barkley, in Moore's and Tanner's office, who is acting as recruiting officers for Muhlenberg county. Let's keep up the standard already set with Muhlenberg county and Kentucky.

Good on all occasions, but why not start the enjoyment of a Victrola at Easter time? You will always remember the beginning with great pleasure. Arrange at once with Roark and have an instrument delivered when you say.

Look at Roark's stock of chairs and rockers—greatest in country.

## Victrola Dominance Grows.

Victrola dominance is greater today than ever before. The latest in the field of standard machines, it quickly emerged from the rest. It has added many vital and exclusive features of construction, and has overtaken everything except demand and while the Victor Co. is annually expending millions in buildings, machinery and equipment, the world calls for more in greater degree each year. Roark places orders many months ahead, and that is why you can place an order now and get what you wish from him.

The Victrola, sterling as the English pound, sells for the same just price, the world around.

Many new Victor records received by Roark this week.

Who knows more about music than the world's greatest artists? They have chosen the Victrola for the exclusive presentation of their rare art and talents, and their vital opinion in the safest guide for every purchaser of a talking machine. Let Roark demonstrate the supreme Victrola and records.

Mr. Spencer Pannell arrived home last week from Russellville, where he has been engaged as supervising inspector of highway construction. For some time he has not been feeling well, and he has developed a case of typhoid fever, but is getting along very nicely, though his fever did run very high for a few days.

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## Facts For Digestion.

One of America's leading lecturers recently addressed a representative body of people on the war and our participation in it. He declared that many hundreds of millions of dollars had been made by our people from supplies furnished this and foreign governments, but that our people did not really know what war meant, compared with our European allies. They have given to the limit in men and means, and the civilian population for years has undergone the greatest hardships. What we may be required and prepared to do was summed up thus: "Fourteen per cent of all the living people in Scotland, old and young, male and female, are fighting at the front. Thirteen per cent of all the people in England are fighting at the front. Six per cent of the Irish are fighting civilization's common foe. England's age is 18-31. Scotland has practically sent one man out of each seven of its population. America has not yet sent one out of each hundred."

Dr. H. Y. Slaton, who volunteered for medical corps service, left the first of the week for Camp Oglethorpe, Ga. He was accompanied by his wife, who will remain with him until he departs for overseas, which he expects to do soon.

Most for your money in a Victrola. Cut prices show a weakness in the goods and any machine except Victrola can be bought by anyone at a reduced price.

Patriotic traveling men all over the country are helping Uncle Sam and teaching many people to save by giving thrift stamps as tips. The idea was started by a thoughtful fellow some bit ago, and it is spreading with gratifying results.

The Flonzaley String Quartet has made its first record, to be found in the August list, at Roark's. This is recognized as the most artistic organization in America, and during its 15 years' organization has drawn the most devoted circle of admirers, for its work is not equaled by any associated artists.

Public schools open in Muhlenberg next Monday, and every effort is being made to start with full attendance, and keep it up to the mark, as the advantages of education are more appreciated now than ever before in the history of the world, and each child is being impressed with how important it will be in their lives.

In most cases, especially when the disease attacks the palate muscles or those of the eyes alone, perfect recovery takes place in a month or two; but when the paralysis has extended to the extremities it persists much longer and may never entirely disappear. The treatment should be of a tonic character with a nutritious diet that contains an abundance of fat, especially butter and cream. When the muscles of the body and the limbs are affected, massage is useful, and in most cases after the acute symptoms have subsided, electricity properly applied is of great service.

## Patriots Are Shown to Be Traitors.

Some of those "dollar-a-year" patriots serving the Government have proven themselves arch traitors, of the "million-a-month" type, and are being hunted out in connection with the vast stealings of various kinds. Their low salary should not be accepted as an excuse for whitewashing these scoundrels, who should be given the limit of the punishment allowed by law.

## Notice to the Public.

Notice is hereby given that all persons being indebted to me can settle their account with Mr. H. O. Meredith, who has this part of my business in his hands, and is ready to serve my patrons. 21.

Dr. H. Y. Slaton.

Examine the line of "Restgood" all-hair mattresses at Roark's. Finest line of goods ever carried in this section, and the cheapest, for one will give perfect satisfaction for an ordinary lifetime. Pillows of same material.

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## Diphtheritic Paralysis.

One of the characteristic symptoms, or rather sequelae of diphtheria is a more or less extensive paralysis. It usually comes on after the casting off of the membrane in the throat—sometimes not until several weeks after—but it may appear during the attack, the gravity of which greatly increases. It is probably the result of a neuritis, or inflammation of certain nerves, brought on by the action of the diphtheria toxin.

Diphtheritic paralysis usually manifests itself in the throat muscles which lose their tone and fail to act during the process of swallowing so that the fluids run forward through the nose instead of downward into the gullet. At the same time the speech becomes nasal. Frequently the paralysis affects the eye muscles the patient loses the power of focusing with the result that the objects at which he looks appear blurred. Ordinarily, the muscles of the throat and eyes are the only ones affected but in the more severe cases the paralysis extends to the muscles of respiration and to those of the extremities. In rare cases the sufferer is so completely paralyzed as to be entirely helpless.

The most serious cases are those in which the paralysis attacks the chest muscles, which are concerned in the respiratory movements, or in which the great nerve—the vagus—that carries impulses and gives tone to the heart and the stomach becomes involved. Very often there is more or less pain in the affected parts because of the accompanying neuritis; sometimes there is loss of sensation in the hands and the feet. When the chest muscles are paralyzed the breathing becomes difficult; it is then carried on chiefly by the diaphragm, and is made somewhat easier if the patient grasps the head of the bed with his hands. When the paralysis involves the heart and stomach nerve the patient suffers greatly from vomiting of food, and the heart symptoms—weakness and irregularity of pulse—are pronounced. That is the most dangerous of all forms of diphtheritic paralysis, for the heart is seriously weakened, and the least exertion of the patient even turning in bed, may cause it to stop.

In most cases, especially when the disease attacks the palate muscles or those of the eyes alone, perfect recovery takes place in a month or two; but when the paralysis has extended to the extremities it persists much longer and may never entirely disappear. The treatment should be of a tonic character with a nutritious diet that contains an abundance of fat, especially butter and cream. When the muscles of the body and the limbs are affected, massage is useful, and in most cases after the acute symptoms have subsided, electricity properly applied is of great service.

## Poor Quality High At Any Cost.

The talking machine industry is one of the largest in America, and probably no product has so wide distribution. Easily the leader, the Victrola reigns supreme in all lands. Prices are fixed on instruments and records, and it is a rare thing that a customer even suggests a reduction, so well known is this fact. We have never sold an item of Victor goods at a cut price, and nobody has ever had an offer of this kind from us. Prices on other machines vary according to the individual customer, few, if any, paying the full price, but Victor goods are not distributed on any basis except a fair one. Get most for your investment by purchasing a Victrola, the machine without regrets.

The J. L. Roark Estate, Orien L. Roark, Manager.

Every talking machine in the world is fitted to play Victor records and this recognition of Victor supremacy should be followed by users of other machines. Roark carries in stock more records than all agents in the county combine, and you can hear any record you wish, and your visits are urged.

If you do not have music in your home, you have no foundation on which so many other vital things must rest. Get ALL music, as well as the best in literature, on the Victrola. Roark, county distributor, has placed more than 250 instruments in the county, and his easy terms will enable anyone to own a machine.

Is there a Victrola in your home? You may think you can't afford one, but we'll show you that you can. You'll say you never heard of more generous terms than ours. Victrola \$15 to \$300. Come in today and hear yours.

# NOTICE

Under the new laws the Tax Commissioner is required to open an office in the Court House from July 1st. to November 1st. This law requires each and every one to come and give his lists at my office. As there are over 8,000 lists to be made in the County you will see it is important that you come at once and give in your lists.

C. W. CISNEY,  
Tax Commissioner.

## POULTRY FACTS

### MORE CHICKENS ARE WANTED

Farmers Are Urged by Department of Agriculture to Stock Their Farms With More Poultry.

(From the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The United States department of agriculture urges as many as possible of the farmers who have not raised chickens to stock their farms this year with fowls, enough at least to supply the needs of their own households. This will be a big factor in the nationwide campaign which will endeavor to double this year the chicken and egg production of the United States. According to the last census of the 6,371,502 farms in the United States, 1,527,743 reported no egg production. The more chickens-and-chicken campaign is expected to dislodge millions of pounds of beef and pork in American cities and send the released product across the ocean to far-off lands, the cities, and the hungry people of the lands devastated by the Persian war torch.

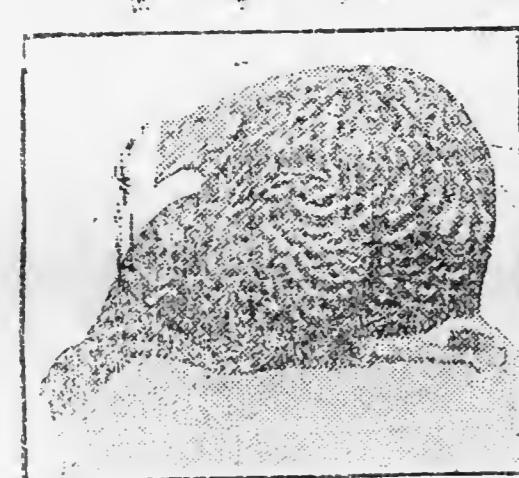
The department does not advise that the general farmer embark in extensive raising of poultry, but warns against such ventures. But it sees no reason why every farm should not produce enough chickens and eggs for its own use, and why there should not be enough surplus to make chickens and eggs available to the general public at reasonable prices and in such quantities that there will be markedly less domestic demand for the meats that are needed abroad and that can be transported there.

### LIMBER NECK IN CHICKENS

Affection Caused by Ptomaine Poisoning From Eating Decaying Flesh—Try to Prevent.

Limberneck in chickens is caused by ptomaine poisoning from eating decaying flesh. Where fowls run about they frequently pick up dead rats, mice or other animals and in this way become affected with the poison, which quickly cause death. Whole flocks are sometimes wiped out in the course of a few weeks.

Prevention is the best remedy. If you are losing chickens from this cause shut up the flock and feed them on sound, sweet grain and feed a simple effective treatment is to use permanganate of potash. Put an



Bad Case of Wry Neck.

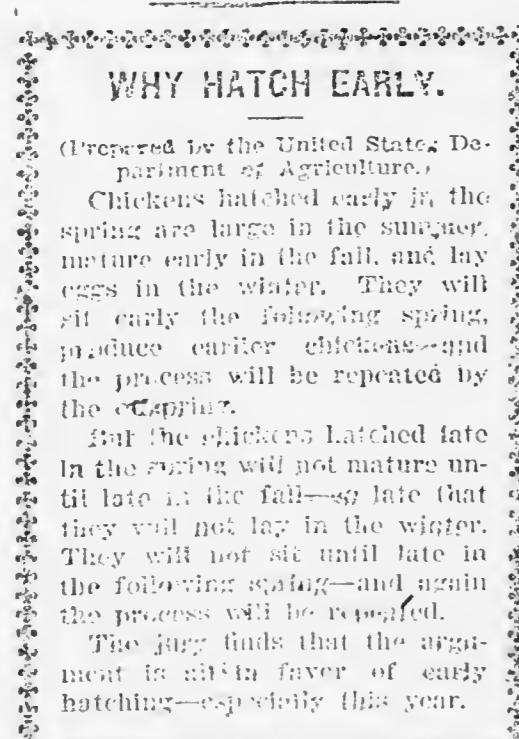
ounce of the crystals in a quart bottle and fill it with water. Add enough of this to the drinking water to give it a rich purple color, and allow the fowls no other water to drink. Fowls which show symptoms of the disease should be given a dose night and morning.

### FOWLS EAT WASTE MATERIAL

On Some Farms Chickens Pay for Themselves by Destruction of Injurious Insects.

(From the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Chickens as a by-product of general farming had much of their feed in the waste materials that otherwise would serve no useful purpose. The attention and labor they require can be given largely by children, and should not require the employment of additional hired workers. On some farms the chickens practically pay for themselves by their destruction of orchard and vegetable insects. On others they help to pay for themselves by their production of manure, which when properly used largely increases the value of the land. Fifty fowls will annually produce at least a ton of manure that can be made as valuable as commercial fertilizer.



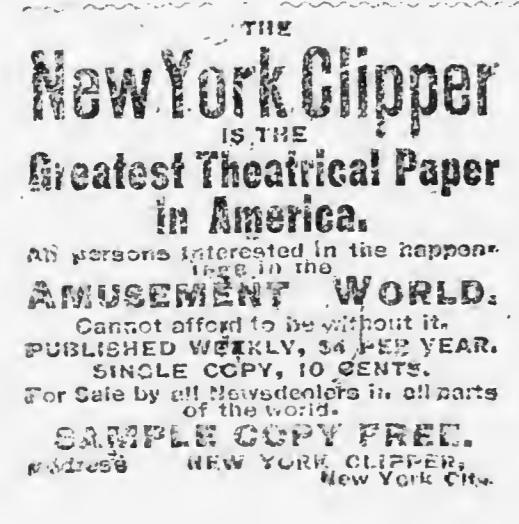
WHY HATCH EARLY.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Chickens hatched early in the spring are larger in the spring, mature early in the fall, and lay eggs in the winter. They will sit early the following spring, produce earlier chickens—and the process will be repeated by the *Capri*.

But the chickens hatched late in the spring will not mature until late in the fall—up late that they will not lay in the winter. They will not sit until late in the following spring—and again the process will be repeated.

The jury finds that the arrangement in坐 in favor of early hatching—especially this year.



### FEED WORK HORSES ALFALFA

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## FARM STOCK

## DAIRY DAIRY

### SKIMMED MILK FOR CALVES

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### FEEDING SILAGE TO STOCK

No Better or More Economical Feed as Roughage for Finished Stock for Market.

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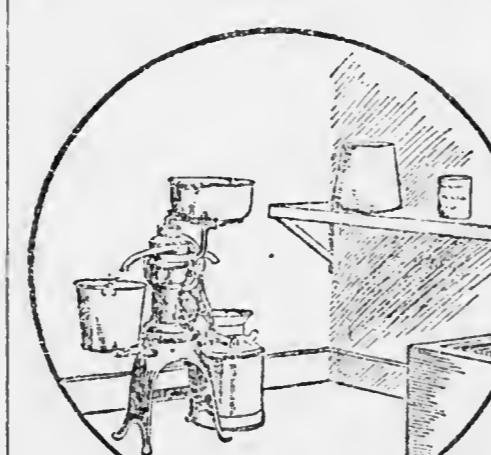
As a roughage for finished stock there is no better or more economical feed than silage for it produces large daily gains and aids in keeping the animals in a healthy condition so that they can handle other feeds more effectively. An advantage in feeding silage to beef cattle that is often overlooked is that it enables the feeder to carry his stock for a long time so as to pass over a period of depression in the market.

Silage also can be profitably used to supplement pastures for steers during a time of drought, when they are being finished for market.

For many years the belief was general that cattle which received silage as a major portion of the roughage would have to be kept in warm barns and not exposed to the cold. While they do need protection from the cold winds and rains and need a dry place to lie down, it has been clearly demonstrated that warm barns are not only unnecessary, but that fattened cattle make both larger and cheaper gains when fed in the open sheds than when confined in barns. Stocker or thin cattle receiving silage will, of course, need more protection than animals which are being fattened.

The theory that silage-fed cattle shrink very heavily in shipping to market is erroneous. While the actual shrinkage during transit is sometimes greater, the fill taken at market is usually good, and if good judgment is used in preparing them for shipping the net shrinkage is no greater than for cattle which have been fed on dry feeds. For 36 hours previous to shipping nice bright hay and straw should be substituted for the silage in the rail.

The general impression that choice or prime carcasses cannot be made by the use of silage-fed cattle is equally untrue, as the silage-fed cattle usually make more desirable carcasses than cattle fed a similar ration, except that silage was replaced by one of the coarse fodders. There is no appreciable



Separator in Clean Room.

flushed with soot. Stainless pails and cans have been placed on the market.

(2) When washing tinware, first rinse off the film of milk on the surface with cold water, then wash thoroughly with warm water and cleansing soda, using a brush, and finally rinse with scalding hot water and place in the sun or some place free from dust to dry.

(3) After scalding, do not wipe milk tinware with a cloth, but let the rinsing water be so hot that there is no further need of drying.

### CHAPPED TEATS ARE VEXING

Where Cows Wade Around in Muddy Yards and Pastures, Teats Often Get Wet and Cold.

Sore teats of any kind are very unpleasant, both to the cow and the milker. A cow having sore teats of any kind does not stand still during milking. She keeps moving about and even kicking.

During spring chapped teats are common. The cows wade around in muddy yards and even in ponds in the pastures, the teats get wet and cold, and if no special attention is given to the cows, the teats frequently become very sore.

### HIGH-PRICED FEED ANNOYING

Day Good Policy to Depend on Profit From Cows for Living Must Know Just What He Is Doing.

Now that the cost of cow feed is soaring sky-high and the dairyman is depending on the profit from his cows for his living it is a self-evident fact that he must know what he is thinking about. One thing is certain, the poor feeder to the poor cow is not in the race and the sooner he gets out of the better, even if he must hire out to work for the man who knows how to do his own thinking.

After a young or untried bull has been used two years he should not be sold to the butcher, because he may prove to be a bull of exceptional worth when his daughters fatten. Such a bull often can be leased or leased to a man with a proved herd for a couple of years until some of his daughters fatten. In this way he is not always subject to be sold because he is, especially valuable.

### RETAIN BULL UNTIL TESTED

Not Good Policy to Sell to Butcher After Two Years Service—May Prove to Be Valuable.

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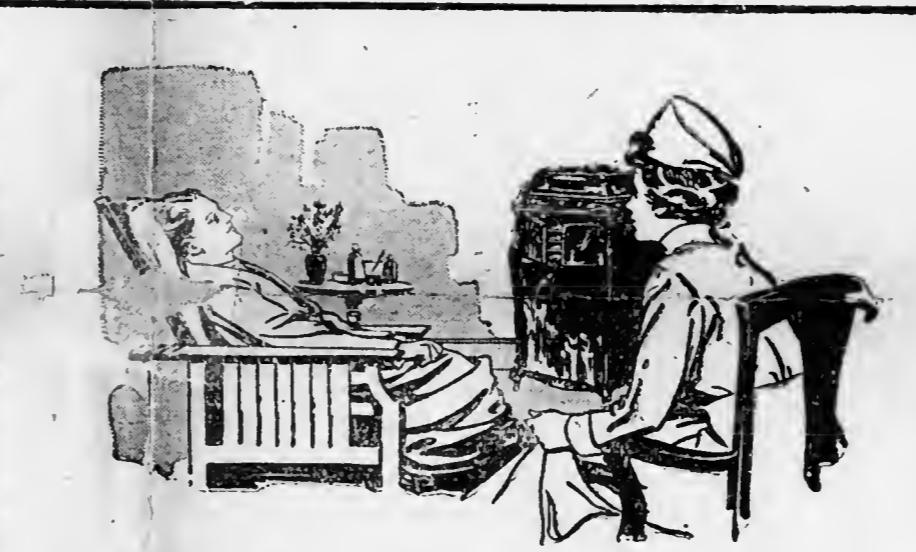
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